

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA**

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, et al.)	
)	
Plaintiffs,)	
)	
v.)	Case No. 4:05-cv-00329-GKF-PJC
)	
TYSON FOODS, INC., et al.)	
)	
Defendants.)	
)	

**REPLY IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO EXCLUDE EXPERT
TESTIMONY BASED ON BACTERIAL ANALYSES CONDUCTED IN VIOLATION
OF EPA, USGS AND OKLAHOMA STANDARDS (Dkt. No. 2090)**

Exhibit 6



**Environmental
Microbiology
Laboratory, Inc.**

Report for:

Mr. Roger Olsen
CDM (Camp Dresser & McKee, Inc.)
1331 17th Street
Suite 1200
Denver, CO 80202-1562

Regarding: Project: Illinois River
EML ID: 220659

Date of Analysis: 05-23-2006 and 05-31-2006

Approved by:

A blue ink signature of Dr. Harriet Burge, written in a cursive style.

Dr. Harriet Burge
Director of Aerobiology

A blue ink signature of Dr. David A. Bell, written in a cursive style.

Dr. David A. Bell
Laboratory President

This coversheet is included with your report in order to comply with AIHA and ISO accreditation requirements.

For clarity, we report the number of significant digits as calculated; but, due to the nature of this type of biological data, the number of significant digits that is used for interpretation should generally be one or two. All samples were received in acceptable condition unless noted in the Report Comments portion in the body of the report. Due to the nature of the analyses performed, field blank corrections of results is not a standard practice. The results relate only to the items tested.

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Client: CDM (Camp Dresser & McKee, Inc.)
 C/O: Mr. Roger Olsen
 Re: Illinois River

Date of Sampling: 05-09-2006 and 05-10-2006
 Date of Receipt: 05-16-2006
 Date of Report: 06-02-2006

MPN REPORT

Location: 1, HFS-29

Lab ID-Version†: 959017-1

Sample size: 500		Unit: 100 ml		Percent solid: N/A	
Bacteria	Method	Setup Time	MPN*/Unit	LCL**	UCL**
Fecal Coliform	SM 9221 E	05/16/06 16:00	220	89	540
Total Coliform	SM 9221 B	05/16/06 16:00	2,400	800	7,200
E. coli	SM 9221 F	05/16/06 16:00	220	89	540
Staphylococcus aureus	BAM 12	05/16/06 16:00	< 2	-	14
Enterococcus group	SM 9230 B	05/16/06 16:00	5	1	20
Salmonella species	BAM 5	05/16/06 16:00	< 2	-	14

Comments:

Location: 2, HFS-20

Lab ID-Version†: 959018-1

Sample size: 500		Unit: 100 ml		Percent solid: N/A	
Bacteria	Method	Setup Time	MPN*/Unit	LCL**	UCL**
Total Coliform	SM 9221 B	05/16/06 16:00	1,800	680	4,800
Fecal Coliform	SM 9221 E	05/16/06 16:00	400	120	1,400
E. coli	SM 9221 F	05/16/06 16:00	240	80	720
Staphylococcus aureus	BAM 12	05/16/06 16:00	< 2	-	14
Enterococcus group	SM 9230 B	05/16/06 16:00	22	9	54
Salmonella species	BAM 5	05/16/06 16:00	< 2	-	14

Comments:

*MPN - Most Probable Number.

MPN methods:

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**The Upper 95% Confidence Limit (UCL) and Lower 95% Confidence Limit (LCL) are calculated using the method of deMan (1983) and represent that "before the tubes are inoculated, the chance is at least 95 percent that the confidence interval associated with the eventual result will enclose the actual concentration" (FDA BAM).

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MPN REPORT

Location: 3, HFS-14

Lab ID-Version†: 959019-1

Sample size: 500		Unit: 100 ml		Percent solid: N/A	
Bacteria	Method	Setup Time	MPN*/Unit	LCL**	UCL**
Fecal Coliform	SM 9221 E	05/16/06 16:00	6,900	2,200	22,000
Total Coliform	SM 9221 B	05/16/06 16:00	20,000	2,800	140,000
E. coli	SM 9221 F	05/16/06 16:00	2,600	1,100	6,100
Staphylococcus aureus	BAM 12	05/16/06 16:00	< 2	-	14
Enterococcus group	SM 9230 B	05/16/06 16:00	1,400	480	4,100
Salmonella species	BAM 5	05/16/06 16:00	< 2	-	14

Comments:

Location: 4, HFS-23

Lab ID-Version†: 959020-1

Sample size: 500		Unit: 100 ml		Percent solid: N/A	
Bacteria	Method	Setup Time	MPN*/Unit	LCL**	UCL**
Fecal Coliform	SM 9221 E	05/16/06 16:00	1,400	480	4,100
Total Coliform	SM 9221 B	05/16/06 16:00	2,400	800	7,200
E. coli	SM 9221 F	05/16/06 16:00	810	250	2,600
Staphylococcus aureus	BAM 12	05/16/06 16:00	< 2	-	14
Enterococcus group	SM 9230 B	05/16/06 16:00	240	80	720
Salmonella species	BAM 5	05/16/06 16:00	< 2	-	14

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MPN REPORT

Location: 5, HFS-30

Lab ID-Version†: 959021-1

Sample size: 500		Unit: 100 ml		Percent solid: N/A	
Bacteria	Method	Setup Time	MPN*/Unit	LCL**	UCL**
Fecal Coliform	SM 9221 E	05/16/06 16:00	810	250	2,600
Total Coliform	SM 9221 B	05/16/06 16:00	2,400	800	7,200
E. coli	SM 9221 F	05/16/06 16:00	810	250	2,600
Staphylococcus aureus	BAM 12	05/16/06 16:00	< 2	-	14
Enterococcus group	SM 9230 B	05/16/06 16:00	1,100	400	3,000
Salmonella species	BAM 5	05/16/06 16:00	2	0.01	14

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Bacterial Identification Report

Location:	1: HFS-29
Comments (see below)	None
Sample type	Water
	MPN* / unit
<i>Campylobacter</i> species	< 2
Sample size	100 ml
Unit	MPN* / 100ml

*MPN = Most probable number

Comments:

Campylobacter identification method: Modification of BAM chapter 7, March 2001.

Note

1. MPN method: Minimum detection limit for liquid samples is <2MPN/100ml.

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Bacterial Identification Report

Location:	2: HFS-20
Comments (see below)	None
Sample type	Water
	MPN* / unit
<i>Campylobacter</i> species	< 2
Sample size	100 ml
Unit	MPN* / 100ml

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Bacterial Identification Report

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Comments (see below)	None
Sample type	Water
	MPN* / unit
<i>Campylobacter</i> species	< 2
Sample size	100 ml
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